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I don't know if the first treatment is acid. Perhaps you can ask Bob.

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Phil:

I am assuming that Pebble will crush, and then acid treat the ore at the mine site. Am I correct?

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